Situational Awareness

- Who has not deployed?
- Who has been in combat?
- Who has been to Iraq/Afghanistan ?
- This starts to show who needs to help who

Team Work

- In these types of operations, team work takes on a different form and meaning
  - Important not to let team members become withdrawn, isolate themselves
  - Senior leaders must watch for this, but everyone needs to be on the look out for each other

Phases Likely to be experienced Working Closely with PN

- Initial culture shock, may pop-up time to time
  - You become inoculated as you gain experience in the culture
- Sine wave of ‘ups and downs’
  - You want to work to level this out
- Disdain, even hatred
- Resignation, lackadaisical, loss of edge and performance
- Over identification – ‘Gone Native’ – Don’t

Culture Shock

- Shock
  - You will experience culture shock
  - May react by ‘cocooning’ – DON’T
- Best way to deal with that:
  - Knowledge of the culture
  - Develop a perspective of cultural relativism
  - Engage with indigenous
- Remember – They are living under stress ‘shock’ as well

Cultural Relativism/Adaptability

- You must develop the ability to work within this relativistic perspective to obtain your objectives
- Your cultural relativism must be framed within those things that we hold as ideals in our national policy:
  - Freedom, equality, democratic processes
  - Human dignity, human rights

Human Terrain
Social Network Analysis